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ELBA RED CROSS

The December meeting of the Elba Red Cross was held at the home of Lucille Conneruck. The 12 members present made an interesting group as Mrs. George Kimmel demonstrated the making of an angel food cake.

The members donated foodstuffs sufficient for five parcels to be sent to destitute persons in England. These were packed and sent out for mailing. A charity lunch was served with each member sharing in the angel food cake which was voted perfect.

The annual meeting of the group will be at the home of Ruth Laut on Jan. 8.

A successful card party was held at Tany Lynn school house on Wednesday evening, Dec. 4. "500" was played with first prize going to Mrs. L. Ableman; 2nd to Mrs. F. Ruddy; men's first, George Donald; 2nd, Ralph Budgen. After expenses were paid, a sum of \$8.00 was turned to the children's Christmas tree. A delicious lunch was served around midnight. Another card party in aid of the local ball team will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 11.



The monkey perched on the sailor's arm was the mascot of the merrymaking so happily was one of a supply brought on board when the veteran Canadian destroyer "Restigouche" and the banana he is wearing, which is no longer in service, called at the Azores.—R.C.N.

Nurses Edlund and Hurl of the Calgary General Hospital staff were visitors at the home of the latiss' parents here in town on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Kasebier, who have been visiting with the Ontkes during the past two or three weeks, left for their home in Denver, Colo. on Monday last.

Archie McFadyen who took quite a licking on the world's baseball classic, is recovering and will be in there bettering, and will likely pick a winner when the Stanley Cup hockey final gets under way in the spring.

George Nasadik, Crossfield, has sold his farm northwest of town and is disposing of his entire farm equipment by public auction on Wednesday, Dec. 11. We understand Mr. and Mrs. Nasadik plan to make a trip to California and probably take up residence in the sunshiny state.

Mrs. Cora Hall, R.N., of Stratmore, spent the week-end at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hall. We understand that Cora is wearing a large-sized diamond engagement ring.

The Home and School Association will hold its next meeting in the local school building on Thursday evening next at 8:00 p.m. Dec. 12. A good program has been arranged. So plan to be present. You are promised an enjoyable evening.

The annual meeting of the F.O.W.A. will be held in the United Church parlor on Thursday, Dec. 12, at 2:00 p.m. Hostesses will be Madames A. Montgomery and O. Bills, and everybody will be welcome.

We understand Joe Gilchrist is now selling real estate in Calgary. Joe has always had ideas of getting rich quick and after his setback in the oil racket probably he is in the groove this time.

The annual Boxing night dance sponsored by the Hall Board will be held in East Community Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 26. Good music will be provided.

One of the old timers must have been a little tired after the annual meeting. It has been reported that one of them (the Old Timers) forgot to put yeast in the bread that was being mixed. My, what goings on.

The local school staff is planning to hold their Christmas concert on Dec. 26, Friday, before Christmas. Keep this date in mind because we know you will want to be present. Needless to say, an A-1 program has been arranged.

A box social and dance will be held at the Sunshine school house on Monday, Dec. 9. Martinusen's orchestra will be in attendance and the proceeds will go toward the children's Christmas tree. Everybody welcome.

While we do not want to stick out our chest too far, we truly believe that Crossfield has one of the finest drug stores between Calgary and Edmonton. Alf Edlund went all the way when he took the rubber band off his pink roll to enlarge and equip his pharmacy — it's a credit to the faith Mr. Edlund has in the town and district and a decided acquisition to his town.

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1 egg, well beaten
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1/2 cup white pepper
5 lbs. shortening

Sift together flour, baking powder, 1/2 tea-
spoon oil, beaten egg and shortening in a 3
tablespoon measure. Add evaporated milk to
this mixture and mix in thoroughly.
With fork. Add milk and stir until blended.
Melt shortening in a 9" frying pan, and cook onions until soft.
Add tomato soup, remaining 1/2 teaspoon
white pepper, 1/2 cup oil and shortening and
baking powder mixture on top of meat mixture
and bake in hot oven at 425° F. for about
20 minutes. Turn out upside down on large
plate. Serve 8.

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Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumer News" or the Blue Book of Wartime Prices, giving your calling price, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

An Urgent Problem

AUTHORITIES IN AGRICULTURE are of the opinion that the importance of soil conservation cannot be overestimated in Canada today. That the Dominion government is fully aware of the serious nature of this problem is demonstrated by the extensive work which has been undertaken under the P.F.R.A. in many districts in Western Canada. In addition, there are many organizations which have recognized the need for action in this matter and a great deal of valuable information has been placed at the disposal of Canadian farmers. Reliable advice has been made available through provincial departments of agriculture, district agricultural representatives, agricultural magazines, universities and numerous other sources, and farmers who have problems of soil erosion have the advantage of these services in combating them.

Cash Income Is Reduced

A short time ago the Royal Bank of Canada published an interesting and informative article on the subject of soil conservation and that article has been followed by a pamphlet on the same subject written especially for farmers. Entitled "Making Money by Saving Soil" the booklet deals with many interesting aspects of the problem of soil erosion and the methods of counteracting this grave menace to Canadian agriculture. Among other things, it deals with the subject of cash income from farm products. During the first six months of this year, the writer states cash income was reduced by 50 million dollars for Saskatchewan farmers, 33 million dollars for the farmers of Alberta, and seven million in the province of Manitoba. This reduction is not attributed entirely to lack of soil conservation, but it is pointed out that in North Dakota a survey of 197 farms revealed that 271,000 more bushels of wheat had been produced on 3,000 less acres of land after measures had been taken to combat soil erosion.

A Commandable Public Service

It is admitted that soil erosion is just one factor determining the success or failure of a farmer's crop. Wind, moisture, frost and similar forces are beyond the control of the farmer, but the conservation of his valuable top-soil is something which he can control and it may have a great bearing on the cash returns for his year's work. The concluding paragraph of the pamphlet mentioned above says: "The frightful force of soil erosion is demanding immediate attention in every part of Canada. Any large scale project needs education, and children, growing up to their inheritance, should be trained in school, through textbooks and motion pictures, to awareness of what is going on. Today's struggle by Canada's farmers is no flash-in-the-pan, ending in another beginning of the cycle of decline. Besides preserving their land today for their own benefit, and as an inheritance for their children, they must see that their children are taught how to continue the good work." In publishing information and advice on this important subject the Royal Bank is performing a most commendable public service.



SELECTED RECIPES

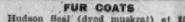
ORANGE CLOVERLEAF COOKIES
When you have an orange handy, "cloverleaf" your biscuit dough. Mix the large recipe of Baking Powder Biscuit dough, adding 1/4 teaspoon grated orange rind to flour mixture. After kneading, snap off balls of dough about the size of a walnut, dip them in orange juice, then in a mixture of 1/2 cup sugar and 2 1/2 teaspoons cinnamon. Place 3 balls in each section of a greased muffin pan. Bake in a hot oven (400 deg. F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Serve at once. Makes 16 large rolls.

CHOCOLATE COOKIES
2 cups sifted flour
1 1/2 teaspoons Calumet Baking Powder
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup orange soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 cup butter or other shortening
2 cups flour
2 eggs, well beaten
3 squares Baker's Unsweetened Chocolate, melted
Sift flour, add shortening, add baking powder, soda, salt, and cinnamon, and sift three times. Cream shortening, add sugar gradually, creaming until light and fluffy. Add eggs and chocolate beat well. Add flour, a small amount at a time, mixing well after each addition. Chill thoroughly. Roll 1/2" thick on lightly floured surface and cut with cookie cutter; sprinkle with sugar or decorate for holidays. Bake on ungreased baking sheet in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) 9 minutes. Makes 6 dozen 2 1/2" inch cookies.

NYLON DISHES
To make pretty nylon mesh stockings, buy the nylon or plastic molding powders. One of the latest tricks is to use them for the production of unbreakable kitchenware which can be sterilized in boiling water. Producers seem to be specializing right now on three-compartment tray plates. All sorts of highly colored tableware are planned for the future.

SUMMERLESS YEAR
In the summer of the year 1916 it is popularly known as the year without a summer because there were frosts and snow in every month in the northern states.

FUR COATS
Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat) at \$55.00
Mink (black) at \$45.00 Canadian
Fox (black) at \$35.00
Sable (black) at \$115.00
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Price Control And Rationing Information

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SMILE AWHILE

An old farmer and his wife were sitting in their pigsty looking at their pig. When the old lady said: "Say, John, it will be our silver wedding anniversary tomorrow. Let's kill the pig."

John replied with disgust: "What's the use of murdering the pig for what happened 25 years ago?"

Hubby: "Isn't dinner ready yet? I have a good mind to go to a restaurant."

Wife: "Well, please wait ten minutes."

Hubby: "Will dinner be ready then?"

Wife: "No, but in ten minutes I can change my dress and go with you."

"Lend me five pounds, old man," said the first man.

"Lending," said the second man, sententiously, "often spoils friendships, and yours is worth more than five pounds."

"All right—make it ten."

Customer: "It's the old story, Mr. Jones. The woman always pays you back."

Grocer: "Well, if you had a look through my books you'd see that some of them don't, Mrs. Smith."

"I don't like the look of that halibut," said the lady customer.

"Lady," asked the market man, "if it's looks you're after, why not buy gold fish?"

Little Willie, after an absence of two days, arrived back at school.

"Didn't your mother write a note?" asked his teacher.

"Yes, I did," said Willie. "I forgot to bring it," replied Willie.

"Well, young man," went on the teacher, "why were you away?"

"I don't know. I didn't read the note."

Month after month a firm sent its bill to a customer and finally received this reply:

"Dear Sir: One a month I eat all the food on the table, pick five at random and pay these five. If I receive any more reminders from you, you won't get a place in the shuffly next month."

"Here comes the parade. Who's Alice?"

"She's upstairs waving her hair."

"What's the matter, can't we afford a flag?"

"Now, my son," said the father, "tell me why I punished you!"

"That's it—first you pound the life out of me, and now you don't know why you did it!"

Ratus (throwing down four acres): "Dad, guess I wins die ole pot, all right."

Sam (angrily): "You play die game honest, big boy, play it honest. I know what cards I dealt you."

Quill pens were first used in the sixth century.

OGDEN'S Fine Cut

Rolls an A1 cigarette



Advice Given For Care Of Infants

Common Sense Can Prevent Most Accidents

Fatal accidents among infants are common—and common sense can prevent them.

Mr. Andrew H. Barnard, director of the Women's Division of the National Safety Council, Chicago, knows the hazards and how to avoid them. Here is her advice to young mothers.

Accidents caused 58.9 per cent. of the deaths of children in the United States during the last year. The fatality rate on record for this age group, Mrs. Barnard says, most child deaths were caused by burns and suffocation. Poisoning, drowning and falling contributed to the total of 7,912 child fatalities occurring in 1944.

She says a safety pin is unsafe because the dangers of pricking a child or of its being swallowed. A mother so often sets a poor example by holding safety pins in her mouth while chewing gum.

Safety pins should be stuck into the mattress or cake of soap. When not in use the pins should be closed and put out of reach of busy little hands.

A safety pin should not be used to fasten a blanket around an infant. This practice, a survey shows, is the principal cause of death by smothering.

When placing a baby in its crib, Mrs. Barnard suggests that no pillow, no fuzzy or padded objects be placed in the baby's bed. A mother should be sure the paint on the child's bed does not contain lead, lest the infant's chewing tendencies bring about lead poisoning.

Infants—medicines, sleeping tablets—it takes only one sleeping tablet and lye should be kept away from a child's reach.

Electrical appliances should be carefully checked for possible faulty conditions. Electric wall cutters should be protected when a mother should be cautious with electrical heaters when bathing a child.

Protectors should be placed around steam and hot water radiators. Mothers in rural communities should wash their clothes when exposed to the sun. Laundry should be kept indoors and clothes and diapers should be washed when the leaves and brush are burned during the fall cleanup.

When a mother is busy in the kitchen, babies should be placed in a per or highchair. Many children have been scalded to death because of over-fascination in mother's work.

Unprotected wells, cisterns and garden fish ponds are potential hazards.

Mainly, Mrs. Barnard says, it's a good idea not to have a tiny tot for too long.

HEALTH AT HOME

It's easier and cheaper in the long run to use care in buying and serving food, according to the Department of National Health and Welfare.

When Sir Ernest Macmillan, the Toronto symphony orchestra's conductor recently inspected meat used in the Mendelssohn choir, he found that rats had confined their ravaging activities to one score—Pied Piper.

Copper gets its name from the island of Cyprus, where it first was found and called cyprum. Later, it was called cuprum, and finally copper.

Copper is good for the body.

When your little one catches cold-

... do what most mothers do to relieve misery of children's colds: Vicks VapoRub on throat, chest and back at bedtime. Results are so good because Vicks VapoRub's special relief-bringing action starts right away. It keeps on working for hours during the night, while the child sleeps. Often by morning most misery of the cold is relieved. Remember: *Mothers... when your child is catching cold, be sure you get time-tested Vicks VapoRub.*

GEMS OF THOUGHT

APPLAUSE

Neither human applause nor humanensure is to be taken as the test of truth but either should set us upon testing ourselves—Whatley.

It is difficult to say which may be most mischievous, the hearse or the bier, the praise or the dispraise of the world. If the last interfere with the first it should be entirely neglected.—Addison.

Great minds had rather deserve contemporaneous applause without obtaining it, than obtain without deserving it.—Colton.

From the common people is generally false, and rather follows the vain than the virtuous.—Bacon.

The honest accepts merit as the most natural thing in the world is the highest applause.—Emerson.

WORTH TRYING

An American medical journal, urging the greater use of "psychosomatic medicine," warns doctors that they should not be content with a quick diagnosis, which might be right, but also risk his personality by means of asking 500 questions. The patient then gets sick of being sick and ready to call it off.

Insulin, the remedy for diabetes, was discovered just 25 years ago.

FOR FASTER RELIEF OF CHEST COLDS

Try Faster Penetrating

BUCKLEY'S STAINLESS WHITE RUB

A single root will produce peppermint plants for about four years.

Copper is good for the body.

PREDICTS CANADA'S PRICE CONTROLS WILL WITHSTAND ANY DROP IN WORLD PRICES

KENTVILLE, N.S.—A prediction that Canada's price controls would enable the Dominion to withstand any possible "nose-dive" in world primary products prices was made here by Finance Minister Ilsey.

In a speech prepared for delivery at a meeting here, Mr. Ilsey said the mounting tide of world prices at which cotton, wheat and some other products have been selling in the United States or elsewhere in recent months, this (price drop) may be inevitable."

"To the best of our knowledge, Canada is in a position to withstand a shock of this kind in a way that was not possible in 1920 or 1929. By refusing to allow Canadian prices to follow world prices in their sharp downward trend we have ourselves substantially against the hardships consequent upon deflation in the future."

The government's aim, he said, has been "to get rid of any control we have, but to do it in a way that will not get rid of those which were still needed."

"I should like to make it clear that the action of the United States government a week or so ago in abandoning price control does not mean that Canada must or will take similar action."

"We have no intention of removing price controls except in the orderly manner the government now is following."

"I do not pretend to know where the cost of living will ultimately settle, . . . I do know, however, that the official cost of living index in the United States is now nearly 50 per cent. above pre-war (as compared with 25 per cent. in Canada), and that roughly one-third of this increase has happened since the end of the war..."

WANTED FREEDOM

Polish War Veterans Have Come To Canada As Special Immigrants

HALIFAX, N.S.—A puzzling query of returning Polish war veterans has been off a big transport onto the Canadian soil which has adopted them.

Capt. Jerry Marciniak, Polish commandant and British 8th army veteran, spoke for the 1,700 special immigrants who had said: "We are in Canada because we want to live like free men. There is no freedom in Europe today."

This was the last big draft of 4,000 Polish soldiers who fought with the Canadians in the Mediterranean theatre and recently were selected for farm work—preferring this rather than return to their own country. Nearly all men were young, predominantly in their 20s, wearing British-type uniforms bearing the shoulder flashes of the British 8th army and wearing their own distinctive lapel insignia. Most of them wore proud insignia badges for Tobruk and Monte Cassino.

The only member of the group who had been in Canada before was Pte. Joseph Zajorski who lived in Toronto for several years up to 1926. He had been a member of the Polish Home Guard and had wanted to go back to his homeland, buy a farm, get married and flourish. "But then the Russians and Germans came," he recalled, "and I lost everything."

HAVE NO EFFECT

Canada's Price To Stand Up Against U.S. Rising Tide

OTTAWA.—The rising tide of uncontrolled United States prices is not expected here to wash much cash out of the Canadian consumer's pocket-book. Canada's prices are seen by federal officials as able to stand up to the present general price drop.

Despite the close economic tie-in between the two countries, cushions of various kinds serve to insulate Canada considerably.

Some of these are:

1. Lowering the excise tax on some items to permit their purchase at higher U.S. prices and sale in Canada at unchanged prices.

2. Changing the markup system on goods generally as was followed when U.S. farms implement prices rose some time ago.

3. Taking the last ceiling price set by the now-defunct O.P.A. as the Canadian ceiling.

The recent revaluation of the Canadian dollar also was seen as giving the Canadian buyer an advantage of 10 per cent. that he didn't have previously in making U.S. purchases.

Prices board officials scanning reports of increased prices in U.S. soaps and non-ferrous metals said Canada had her own soap economy and that she had any number of copper or zinc—leaders in the metal industry—from the United States.

Government sources said, too, it was the intention to keep Canadian ceiling prices clamped down tightly while these prices.

STILL DECLINING

Butter Production During October Dropped Almost Nine Per Cent

OTTAWA.—Production of creamy butter in Canada during October dropped to 21,807,000 pounds from 23,926,000 pounds produced in October, 1946, down almost nine per cent., the Dominion bureau of statistics reported.

All provinces shared in the decrease, which brought cumulative output for the first 10 months of this year to 205,690,000 pounds, down from 268,752,000 in the corresponding period of 1945, a decline of 8.5 per cent. Commenting on the decline, prices board spokesmen said it was too early to determine whether the board would increase the butter price again to last winter's course and cut the individual butter ration, at present at six pence per person per week.

PARCLES FOR BRITAIN

London.—The second year of arrangements for schools in the British dominions to send gift parcels of food for distribution among schools in Britain, the ministry said "overseas schools wishing to participate may send parcels to the overseas gifts (food) allocation centre" of the food ministry.

The "Queen Elizabeth" weighs 83,673 tons.

FIELD MARSHAL SMUTS SERVED NOTICE THAT SOUTH AFRICA WILL ANNEX MANDATED AREA

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y.—The Union of South Africa seemed to notice that it will annex the mandated territory of Southwest Africa, whether the United Nations general assembly approves it or not.

Field Marshal Jan Smuts, South Africa's prime minister, then told his Latin American—friends here the assembly's trusteeship committee in the face of Soviet-led hostility to the South Africa proposal to take over the territory.

South Africa, owned by Germany until the end of World War I, had been administered by South Africa since then as a League of Nations mandate.

The South African pronouncement came as Great Britain had threatened to withdraw its mandate.

Arthur G. Bostock, British delegate, warmly defended the South African proposal before the United Nations trusteeship committee. Soviet Ambassador Nicolai Novikov previously had denounced the proposal as a flagrant violation of the UN charter.

Bostock said that the UN charter did not force any nation to put its mandated territories under trusteeship and that "credit is due to the African government" for giving other nations the opportunity of expressing any opinion on its proposal.

South Africa said that the United Kingdom was "satisfied" with the

polis taken by South Africa to determine whether the natives of Southwest Africa wanted annexation. Novikov had denounced the South Africa figures as a "fictitious demonstration."

Dimitar Vlahov, following for Yugoslavia the line laid down by Novikov, told the committee that "Yugoslavia energetically opposes" the South African proposal.

"We'll never permit aggression in any way," Vlahov said.

The Yugoslav echoed Novikov's assertion that the proposed annexation was not in the interest of the South African people and charged that the South African poll had been confined to tribal chieftains and thus did not reflect the wishes of the majority of the natives of Southwest Africa.

South Africa rejected demands by Britain, Yugoslavia and some of the smaller United Nations that Southwest Africa be placed under UN trusteeship.

"In view of the clearly expressed wishes of the inhabitants of Southwest Africa, the South African government should not be possible for the Union government to submit to a trusteeship agreement in conflict with those wishes."

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ELECTRONIC PIANOS DEVELOPED IN VANCOUVER—Vancouver technicians, utilizing a magnetic principle, before embodied in a musical instrument, have produced an electronic piano. Instead of wire strings, it has tuned bars of magnetized steel as the piano's pencil set sold under the now-obligated Office of Price Administration ceilings in the United States with advances ranging from 10 to about 50 per cent.

With the price of copper and dealers held to the old price lines on literally hundreds of items, others were announced increases.

Most soap manufacturers said wholesale prices on their products were increased by 10 per cent.

The prices of lead, copper and zinc spurted upward almost simultaneously. Kenelectric Copper company, the leading United States producer, reported a boost of 3½ cents to 17½ cents.

Automobile production in Canada was estimated at 276,000,000 bushels and barley at 145,000,000.

Noting that the second wheat estimate was lower than the first, the bureau said the decline may be largely attributed to unfavorable harvesting conditions in Saskatchewan and Alberta subsequent to the September estimate, but may also be due in part to earlier underestimates of the extent of damage caused by the July frosts."

Canadians will have to pay extra for imported General Motors cars but the cost of made-in-Canada automobiles at the present time is about the same as in the United States.

Miss Vlahov had the best score of 10 competitors representing five provinces.

Teamed with Robert Wylie, a fellow-member of the Norwegian Seed Society, she brought the seed-judging title to her province. Two club members represented each province and competitors judged wheat, oats, barley and small seeds.

WILL EQUIPPED

SYDNEY, Australia.—A man convicted in New South Wales police court of attempting to steal a pig from a neighboring property was sentenced to the pugilists. He carried a torch to blind the pig, a hammer to stun it, a knife to stick it and a sugar bag to carry it away.

WOULD LIKE SHARE

LONDON.—Sir Walter Layton, president of the Newsprint Supply company accused the United States of hogging the world's newsprint and challenged Americans to share it.

WON TOP HONORS

Saskatchewan Girl Gets Best Score In Seed Judging

TORONTO.—A 17-year-old Saskatchewan girl, Vickie Doemir, was the first of her sex ever to win the honors in the Toronto Winter Fair seed judging competition open to members of the national council of boys and girls clubs.

Miss Doemir had the best score of 10 competitors representing five provinces.

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RECORD CROPS

WASHINGTON.—Favored by ideal fall harvest weather in October, the United States is virtually assured its largest output of crops in history, the agriculture department reported.

A record production had been forecasted at the start of the year.

The record weather the last four weeks, which improved acreage yields of many crops, brought the prediction to realization.

Help To Make Our Homes Safe From Tuberculosis

During 1946, the Preventive Medicine of the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League was pressed with unabated zeal and results show that there can be no doubt it is succeeding in reducing tuberculosis in the province.

The three mobile fluorographic units visited 157 communities where over 145,000 persons were examined at the expense of the Christmas Seal Fund. The 12 regular clinics were in operation throughout the year and family physicians were visited by the League's consultants.

NO. 1 DISEASE KILLER BETWEEN 15 AND 35

Buy CHRISTMAS SEALS

Tuberculosis is needless and preventable. There is no need for tuberculosis to be No. 1 Disease Killer between the ages of 15 and 35.

If Christmas Seals have not reached you by mail you can obtain these seals by writing to the Christmas Seal Committee at Fort San. Won't you help to continue and extend this Programme of Prevention so that this province can continue to be the safest place in the world for a child to be born.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS!

No home is safe from tuberculosis until all homes are safe.

1947 PROGRAMME

In 1947 it is hoped that the balance of the entire province will be covered for the first time by the three fluorographic units.

Prevention of tuberculosis in Saskatchewan is supported by the Christmas Seal Campaign. This year's Seal tells its own story. It pictures the lamplighter on his rounds spreading the light that dispels darkness.

The industrial relations of Quebec and Ontario, employment conditions show a marked improvement over those of October, 1945. The trend of activity in the seasonally affected areas of the Pacific region shows a steady recovery from the post-war low in the spring of 1946 to a level slightly above that of October, 1945.

"Unplaced applicants registered with the employment service Oct. 31 totalled 131,000, a decrease of 8,000 from the Sept. 30 total. The latest figure was 26,000 less than at July 31.

Most jobs were found in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime provinces to start the year. Expansion in the logging industry, unemployment increased in the prairies during October and remained stable on the Pacific coast.

At the end of October there were 12,000 more jobs in the prairies than in the Dominion, a 9,000 reduction from the total of 142,000 at Sept. 30.

Unplaced applicants and unfilled vacancies (in brackets) in western national employment service offices at Oct. 31, 20,681 (20,681); Edmonton, 2,300 (2,300); Regina, 2,025 (363); Saskatoon, 1,479 (554); Winnipeg, 7,111 (3,225); Fort William, Ont. 813 (1,880); New Westminster, B.C., 1,372 (444); Vancouver, 11,818 (3,200); Victoria, 1,900 (603).

SALVAGE ATTEMPT

CAPETOWN.—Attempts are being made to salvage the 8,093-ton British steamship City of Lincoln, which sank with a £2,000,000 (\$8,000,000) cargo near the Cape of Good Hope after striking a rock. An inquiry is to be held concerning the wreck.

STUDENTS KILLED

SASKATOON.—Two University of Saskatchewan students, Franklin Tomaszewski and Adam G. Gingera, both of Brooks, Sask., were killed and three others were injured in a collision with a two-ton truck seven miles south of Cudworth, Sask.

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TOURIST TRAVEL FROM U.S. IN 1947 TO BE GREAT

Director of Travel Bureau
Estimates 21,000,000

While the international relationship between Canada and the United States was an indication of the fact that the people of two nations travel side by side in peace, harmony and goodwill, it was the interchange of tourist travel between the two countries that had done most to build up the good understanding between the two countries. D. Leo Dolan, director of the Canadian Government Travel Bureau, Ottawa, has told the Kiwanis Club of Montreal.

Discussing the tourist prospects for 1947, he estimated that next year 21,000,000 Americans would cross the border to Canada for short visits and the revenue that would be derived from them would be \$40,000,000 more than last year, an increase of 28 per cent.

But to continue this lucrative source of revenue Canadians must look into the future, must provide better dustless highways, must improve their tourist accommodations and make more distinctive and attractive meals. The Province of Quebec, continued Mr. Dolan, had distinctive characteristics which it must maintain by utilizing its French cultural attractions, and he paid tribute to the work of the Montreal Tourist and Convention Bureau for the excellent work it was doing. He also looked forward to the time when Montreal would have the facilities that were badly needed to attract big conventions to the city, he said.

Mr. Dolan strongly urged Canadians to tour more in their own country, pointing out that just as international goodwill had come about through interchanging of visits between the two countries, so understanding and appreciation among Canadians would be fostered by the same means.

The development of travel has been a potent force in good relations with international friends, but it helps to develop our own, too. As the true spirit of Canadianism, that we shall be not only proud of our own country but the envy of the rest of the world," he said.

While the flow of American tourists into Canada was not as great as Mr. Dolan had expected, he said, Canadians were the greatest border crossing people in the world, and this year would spend approximately \$120,000,000 in the United States. Per capita, Canadians spent more money than any other people in the world.

The railways, air services and other forms of transportation had all contributed greatly to making Canada known as a country that welcomed the tourist, but with competition as keen as it now was for the tourist dollar, every organization interested in the tourist industry would have to do its utmost to attract visitors, he stressed.

WINSTON CHURCHILL TELLS STORY ABOUT MONTGOMERY

Winston Churchill has a knock about a good story to fit the occasion whenever called upon to make a speech. His latest concern: Lord Montgomery, and General Rommel.

Montgomery, it appears, was being driven to the airport to fly to Egypt to assume command of the now famous Eighth Army then fighting with its back to the wall under pressure from the forces of German General Rommel. Montgomery, after long and moodily silence remarked, "A soldier's life is hard. He works, he struggles, becomes a general, then loses a big battle, and that's the end of him."

An army colleague accompanying him to the airport tried to console Lord Montgomery. He said, "Oh, it's not as bad as that; I don't think you should be feeling sorry for yourself."

"Sorry for myself!" snapped Montgomery. "I'm not sorry for myself; I'm thinking of poor old Rommel."

First 1946 Pilgrim Family Arrives, Airplane Their "Mayflower"



First British family to fly to Canada is that of Edward A. Bohne, 34, of Vancouver, shown with his wife and two children, Lawrence, four, and Linda, one. Bohne, a salesman, heard British Columbia had ideal climate and

decided to try it. His wife and mother-in-law, who also flew over, are decided to return with Canada.

Seaweed As Basis For New Industries

Scottish Research Association Proves It Incalculable Riches

The old truth that the sea holds incalculable riches in its depths has been proved again through the work of the Scottish Seaweed Research Association, founded only a year ago. The Orkneys and the Hebrides were formerly looked on as poor islands inhabited by fishermen, but the Association has produced evidence that the sea is incalculably wealth containing in its depths incalculable riches. Seaweed has shown that it has great nutritive value as well as being easily digestible. For this reason, it is admirably suited for use as fodder for sheep, pigs and poultry. It has further been established that a variety of industrial products can be manufactured from seaweed such as light-weight synthetic wool, transparent paper, plastics, surgical bandages, dental creams. According to reports recently received, it is estimated that the industry for the exploitation of seaweed will bring much wealth to Scotland and the outlying islands.

Fruit Crops

Late Estimates Show Moderate Increases Over Earlier Figures

The latest estimates of the 1946 late fruit crop show moderate increases over former estimates, but the grape harvest was somewhat disappointing, says the official report.

Total production of apples in Canada for 1946 is now estimated at 16,730,000 bushels, twice that of 1945 and 20 per cent greater than the 10-year average. The pear crop also proved larger than was anticipated and is now set at 867,000 bushels. The total plum crop was 6 per cent heavier than was expected, the crop at 850,000 bushels or more than double the 10-year average per acre. A moderate increase is shown in the peach crop which is now estimated at 2,111,000 bushels. Grape production was not as heavy as was anticipated by the experts, and now stands at 66,216,000 pounds, a reduction of almost 6,000,000 pounds on the earlier estimate.

To Feel Right — Eat Right!

Winter Birds

Featured Friends That Make Appearance During Winter

Winters may be cold, but feathered friends have taken themselves to the approach of chilly weather, that does not mean that the birds have all gone. To many a bird Ontario is practically tropical. During late autumn and winter we may observe a bird which we can't see at any other season of the year. Ornithologists of the Royal Ontario Museum declare.

Among these birds are the familiar ones such as the slate grey juncos, sometimes called the snow birds. You'll know 'em at once by their white feather at either side of their tail. In company with tree sparrows, also down for the winter, the juncos feast on seed fields that remain after the snow leaves. Snow, будь like a flock of snowflakes blown by the wind.

The Bohemian waxwing is a jaunty fellow in grey and brown and yellow, with blobs of red on each wing. It is a drab bird in summer. The scarlet berries of the mountain ash are his favorite snack. He is a little smaller than a robin, as are the Pine Grosbeaks and the Evening Grosbeaks, also winter guests. The Pine Grosbeak is robin red, with a white patch on the wing. It is a dashing fellow in canary colours. He prefers the seeds of the Manitoba maple, or box elder.

The Cedar Siskin, with the black mask over his eyes, may be a despoiler, but he's not all bad. Mice form the greater part of his food. He hangs them on a thorn or barbed wire fence until his lunch hour comes, accounting for his name the "bachelor bird."

Have A Grievance

Australian Clergy Object To Secular Songs Usually Sung At Weddings

The Anglican Bishop of Tasmania (the Rt. Rev. G. F. Cranwick) has condemned some of the most popular secular songs sung at weddings. Addressing the Hobart Guild of Organists, he said: "I have suggested the clergy and organists should confer in preparing a list of approved songs for weddings, he said."

"When music is requested, we should be quite sure it is good, not only for the bride but for the groom, the new couple and the wedding guests. We in the churches are called upon by God to unite two people in the sacrament of marriage, yet we do it in slovenly manner by allowing such trashy stuff to be sung."

"With God's name has a thing like 'I'll Walk Beside You' to do with the sacrament of marriage? The song 'I Love You Truly' has not an atom of worship in it. There is 'Oh, Promise Me' and 'Because', supposed to be very clear songs, but I hope I will not hear them again at weddings."

Other Australian clerics are just as emphatic. Said one: "I want to scream every time I hear 'Because'. They always sing it. If they don't sing it in the church, they always sing it at the reception. If you want to have 'Because' at a wedding, why the dickens can't leave it to the reception I can't understand. Even the register is being signed, it still upsets me." — Brandon Sun.

PRaises For Newspapers

Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King recently stated: "Throughout the growth of our country the newspapers of Canada have made an immense contribution towards an informed understanding of both national and world affairs."

New Machine For Spraying Orchards

May Be Answer To Future Dusting Methods

If experiments now being conducted in the Okanagan Valley in British Columbia are successful, a spraying machine by a simple, light and economic machine may be the answer as to what future methods of spraying orchards and fields may be. A sprayer-duster of this type has been brought into the Okanagan by the Division of Entomology, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture, writes Dr. James Marshall, of the Division at the Summerland Laboratory, and is being operated at Summerland, Peterborough, Ont. It is in the environmental stage and assessments have undergone a number of adjustments and alterations.

Even now it is not suitable for the use of the commercial orchardist. It rests on a simple spraying machine quite apart from the fact that it operates with entirely new types of spray concentrates. Nevertheless, it is less expensive, much faster, and more easily operated than a high pressure sprayer. It indicates that it is likely that the new type of spraying and dusting equipment will be light and moderately priced and probably operated by one or two men a speed five to twenty times that of conventional two-gun high pressure equipment.

The future machine may utilize the air-blast principle, whereby finely concentrated solutions or dusts, or perhaps both together are pumped or injected at little or no pressure into a powerful current of air.

An Unwanted Island

Rockall, 300 Miles Off Scotland's Mainland Is Peril To Ships

Claimed by no country and shunned by mariners is an islet 300 miles west of the mainland of Scotland. It is Rockall, appropriately named since it is merely a pointed rock jutting out of turbulent waters which makes landing on it next to impossible, except to ocean birds that use it as a resting place.

Expeditions have been organized to explore Rockall, the Manchester Guardian says. Perhaps the only scientist who succeeded in landing on it was Charcot, who, on his way to the Arctic in the Fourqurean Pass in the summer of 1921, was able to set a permanent station on June 29 and again July 1.

They were less interested in the birds than in the geology of the rock and did not climb the stack. Their mission was to secure specimens of rare mineral localities which is believed to be found nowhere but on the face of Rockall. This they succeeded in doing and found that this rare element was in "pockets" and very easily removed. As Charcot pithily surmised: "Rockall is the beauty spot on Rockall's face."

It is a stern face, merciless to ships, without a blade of grass or even a lichen on it. It opened the way to the compasses of mariners, who were sailing winter gales. Many ships have sailed to their doom on its reefs.

LIFE IN OCEANS

Scientists have not been able to determine the depth of the ocean that is Heisen, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica. Marine life has been found in every part of all oceans studied.

Thin brushes, tooth brushes and scrub brushes should not be turned on their backs to dry, as is the common practice.

FARM WASTE HELPS PRODUCE MOTOR FUELS

United States Department Of Agriculture Opens Plant

PEORIA, Ill.—Production of synthetic liquid motor fuels from corn-cob stalks, cattail trash and wastes has moved a step forward with the opening of a new plant at the United States Department of Agriculture's northern regional research laboratory.

Dr. L. B. Howard, chief of the Bureau of Agriculture and Industrial Chemistry, announced that operational designed to process enough material for a daily output of 500 gallons had been started in the new unit.

The function of the newly constructed laboratory is to produce fermentable sugars from which liquid fuels can be obtained. The farm leftovers pass through a series of colts, vats, and machines in what is known as a "saccharification process".

In the case of corn-cobs, it goes like this:

The cobs are crushed and fed into a long cylinder, where the particles are forced through an acid bath to extract the sugars. This yields a 15 per cent sugar solution.

The particles are dried, ground, put through an acid spray, a screw press, a high speed mixer, a steam-heated coil, and a filter. The result is a clear solution containing about 40 per cent glucose sugar.

The particles then go to a pilot plant to be fermented to alcohol, butanol, and acetone.

The research is aimed at ascertaining how much of this liquid fuel material can be obtained from the various kinds of agricultural residues, computing the costs of such processes, and determining the feasibility of production on a commercial scale.

"These factors will have a decided bearing on the probable use of alcohol and other fuels as a supplement to gasoline," the research scientist's report.

"If experimental laboratory results are borne out in the semi-works operations, from 90 to 95 gallons of liquid fuel can be obtained from each ton of residue, about half in the form of ethanol alcohol. The ultimate aim is not to supply gasoline as a motor fuel but to test the possibilities of making these fuels cheap enough for use as a blending agent."

Definite facts and figures won't be available, however, until some time after the plant is in full operation, some six months or more in the future, the scientist said.

The process is the outgrowth of research by Drs. E. C. Lathrop and J. W. Dunning. Besides corn-cobs, it can use such farm waste products as sunflower bagasse, peanut shells, cotton stalks, the hulls of oats, cotton-seed and rice, cereal straws, and cornstarch.

Dr. Howard estimated such farm residues will add up to about 200,000,000 tons a year. He said that half of this amount might be suitable for industrial uses, leaving the rest for use in soil conditioning.

CANADIAN FILMS TO BE SHOWN IN MEXICO

OTTAWA.—Canadian-Mexican relations have been further cemented with the announcement that the National Film Board has signed a three-year contract with Cinesa Films Mundiales, S. A., one of the three leading motion-picture companies in Mexico, which will undertake to distribute Canadian films throughout that country.

In the 18 months since the National Film Board established in Mexico its first office in a non-English-speaking country, Mexican audiences have been introduced to Canadian films through the Vancouver Sun. To save the time of settlers in the Fraser Valley they campaigned in joint meetings, taking turns in speaking first. The final speaker had the advantage of being able to repeat parts of the marks of the other. On a certain night at Webster's Corner, where Scots people predominated, —Aulay spoke a fast one on Dick McBride. The Liberal campaign slogan first addressed an audience in Glasgow. The delighted Scots cheered him —while McBride could not understand a word. But the next evening McBride got even. They moved along the highway to a settlement where old-timers predominated: McBride spoke in Chinook!

There are said to be more than 300 types of common stains.

"FIVE MEN ON A MUSTANG"



—White in the Akron Beacon Journal



EMPEROR HIROHITO HAS ANNOUNCED a new Japanese constitution which outlaws war and strips him of divine powers. This is his mother, Empress Sadako.

Industrial Restrictions

United Kingdom's Policy On Japan's Economic Future

A mon statement of policy was made in the British House of Commons recently by Sir Stafford Cripps on Japan's economic future. Economic conditions to be applied to Japan are being worked out by the Far Eastern Commission in Washington consisting of eleven countries with interests in the Far East. Deliberate decisions are not yet made but the President of the Board of Trade indicated the considerations that weigh with the United Kingdom Government in framing instructions on their representative on the Commission.

These are governed by the Postdam Declaration, Article II, stating "Japan shall be permitted to maintain such industries as will sustain her people and allow the export of just reparations in kind but not those industries which will enable her to re-arm for war. To this end access to, as distinguished from control of raw materials shall be permitted. Japanese participation in world trade relations shall be permitted."

Japan's economic power, said Cripps, will ultimately emerge weakened as a result of two operations, one of which is specifically related to any commercial considerations and the first place restrictions will be imposed on Japanese industry with the purpose of rendering Japan permanently incapable of waging another aggressive war. These restrictions will include significant controls, where necessary, the total elimination of those industries which can contribute directly and substantially to the warming potential. The necessary measures for this purpose have been agreed in detail and it is certain that Japanese steel, heavy engineering, chemicals, shipping, aircraft, and metals industries will, to former levels.

Secondly there will be reductions in other industries consequential on the above, so as to leave Japan with a balanced economy and all Japanese physical and economic assets abroad will be taken away. The surplus equipment thrown up by these operations will be available as reparations to those countries which suffered Japanese aggression.

When these measures have been taken Japanese economy, already dislocated by the war in which plant and equipment suffered severe damage, and the air force, which is only if deserved crippled state, Japan like Britain is an industrial country, ill-endowed with raw materials and fundamentally dependent upon export trade. It lost its overseas assets and the total value of its assets amounted in the home islands. Economic recovery will, therefore, be heavily dependent on foreign trade.

The United Kingdom Government are fully aware of the damaging effects which low-priced Japanese competition had on the United Kingdom export trade in many fields before the war. This competition derived much of its effectiveness from low labour standards and other methods which can be regarded as inconsistent with proper commercial standards. It will be the United Kingdom policy to endeavour to maintain a position of competition not only in Japan but whenever it arises by international agreement and in any way that offers. The United Kingdom Government will also make every effort to ensure that any international agreement or general standing which can be arrived at on these matters is accepted and carried out by Japan. It is, in any case, to be hoped that Japan herself is in the course of making her own economic pattern and that the dismantling up of the oligarchic corporate system of industry which previously held power will clear a way for development on more democratic lines with the result of wages and living that that indicate.

The United Kingdom Government do not, however, consider it practicable to reduce or eliminate Japanese competition in the export markets by yet another surgical operation on the Japanese industrial system. It will direct war potential Japan must be left in such a position that she can become and remain internationally solvent, otherwise she will require permanent foreign support in the form of either imports or subsidies. It is highly improbable that any nation will be prepared to contribute continuously to Japan's support in this way and the United Kingdom Government, having regard to their own foreign exchange difficulties and the urgent need for Britain to become solvent herself, could not contemplate undertaking to share such a burden.

To balance her payments Japan must export and after the severe curtailment which has been imposed for security reasons on her exports to other countries she will have to concentrate on the lighter industries including textiles. This conclusion is inescapable if Japan is to become self-supporting. While the Government has an economic recovery will be accompanied by better labour standards and the elimination of artificial subsidization of exports, Britain cannot afford to allow Japanese competition in the export markets to a degree which would merely impose on Britain herself a corresponding if not greater burden.

RICHEST MAN IN ENGLAND WEDS—Native Canadian Raphael David de Solis, one of the richest men in England, stands by as his bride, the former Elizabeth Nedas, receives kiss from her niece, Carole Samuel, after wedding in London. De Solis wears beard he grew while in Royal Navy.



HOUSING PROBLEM IN MOVIE COLONY—Evicted from their Beverly Hills, Calif., home, Actor Jess Barker and his wife, Susan Hayward, hold their 17-months-old twins as they sit on suitcases on their front lawn.

Farm Ice Storage

Pamphlet Issued Giving Plans Of Specifications

For ordinary storage, any unoccupied corner of a shed will suffice. A rough board enclosure 10 feet square and 8 feet high will hold enough ice to provide 100 pounds per day for 10 days after allowing for reasonable amount of wastage. The smaller the quantity stored, the larger the proportion of wastage. Sawdust is the material which keeps the ice from melting, so that the bottom of the enclosure should be covered with about one foot of sawdust. If the soil underneath is impervious clay, it is better to have a few inches of gravel below the sawdust. A space of one foot should be left between the ice and the boards, and the ice should be covered with about the same thickness.

If it is desired to erect a special icehouse, the roughness kind is all that is required. The cost of building different kinds of ice houses in the publication which can be obtained by writing to Dominion Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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Contemptible Fault

Taking Things From Hotels And Public Places Is Plain Stealing

From Britain comes the news that there may still be time to make preparations for snow. The winter crop on the farm. For the benefit of farmers who do not already have a more or less permanent enclosure for this purpose, the Dominion Department of Agriculture has available a pamphlet, "Snow. Making and Using the Storage of Ice". The publication deals with three separate plans for which specifications and illustrations are given, namely, ordinary storage, an insulated icehouse, and the ice

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Still On The JobWomen Continue To Keep Sharp Eye
On Price Control

One thing about women, they have been given a job to do they stick to the job.

A recent twelve-hour tour convinced Corinne de la Durantaye, assistant director of the consumer branch of the prices board, that both French and English-speaking Canadian women are keeping as sharp an eye on price and shortages as they did during the war.

"I never thought women as a whole, could be so interested in economy problems," said the assistant director, as she told of the crowded meetings where hundreds of housewives, but business and professional women, came to ask questions connected with shortages and price control.

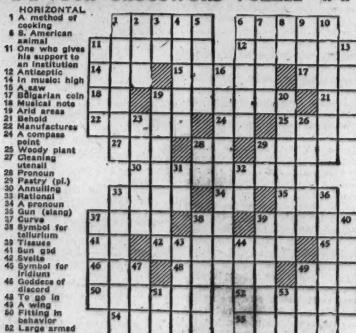
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2 Siamese coin
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4 Chidori
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6 Man's name
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13 Bacchanales
14 A covenant
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18 Printer's
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Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

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**Newspapers Still Best
Media For Advertising****Bureau Of Statistics****Give Summary Of Figures**

Newspapers still are the best advertising media in Canada, according to the report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics which summarizes the activities of 47 advertising agencies in 1945, reveals that of the total billings 65.5 per cent. represented advertising in newspapers, magazines and other printed matter.

Radio advertising accounted for only 10.4 per cent. of the billings while the remaining 14.8 per cent. represented advertising expenditures in other media.

The survey covered agencies of the type which contract for space, radio time and other advertising and which place the advertising for clients on a commission or fee basis.

The total billings for the year 1945 reported by these agencies amounted to \$42,471,233, an increase of 15 per cent. over the \$36,944,785 reported by 41 agencies in 1944 and 45.3 per cent. over the remaining 49 reporting agencies in 1944.

Agencies whose annual billings amounted to over \$2,500,000 reported 62.2 per cent. of their billings for advertising in various types of publications.

Disappears Again

Falcon Is In South Pacific Has
Borne Rising And Sinking For
Years

AUCKLAND, N.Z.—That jack-in-the-box vessel in the South Pacific is gone again.

The crew of a New Zealand government motor vessel, the Maui Pomare, reported that they passed the spot where, barreled, uninhabited Falcon island, in the Tonga (Friendly) group, was supposed to be, but it wasn't there.

The island, which has been rising and sinking in the sea ever since its discovery 80 years ago, is—it was thought—now the remains of a volcano, where a volcano erupted recently and possibly caused Falcon to sink.

First observed as a reef in 1865, Falcon disappeared and reappeared through the years. In 1927 violent eruptions resulted in the formation of an island 360 feet high. Geologists landed there in 1928 and found it composed mainly of ash and rock.

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SHORT STORY—
DISCOVERY
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THE silence in the second grade room became terrible. In desperation, the children started to shout and started out blubbering. "I—found—I—was—on—a—" He hesitated again and listened for the silence. "—is—" and, he tried doubtfully pronouncing the "is" with a short "I".

"My goodness," said Miss Carson, rapped out, "I thought every boy in the world had known Carson was wrecked on." She paused dreadfully, then corrected, "Island."

He sat down suddenly, not trying to creep out. He heard some one snicker, but he dared to look. He did not know who Robinson was, but he did know that he had read. For that matt, he never knew what he read. Although for days the rest of the class and he had been reading from books and the blackboard, this was meant nothing. He would look at the book with his large black type, and feel the shiny paper under his hand, but he was not conscious that those words had anything to do with life as he knew it. F—o—u—n—d was in the book, and if he made a mark, he would know the reader was satisfied. That "found" was something that actually happened, never occurred to him. It was just a sound.

The bell cut short his thoughts. He moved out of his rest, but he did not want to play, though he had been a fresh fit of snow and the boys were planning a snowball fight. He wanted to get home, because he felt, inside, like his foot felt when they stopped the heel. He went straight home to the living room, and climbed into the big chair, and tried to think.

He could hear Mother, working in

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the gap and take the picture up on the other side. The first time he tried it, Junior was afraid the picture would not start up again, but it did, just as it did before.

Suddenly the book came to an end. Junior, startled blinked his eyes. The room was almost dark, the afternoon had gone.

"What's Junior?" said Mother coming into the room. "You mustn't look at those pictures in the dark. You'll hurt your eyes."

Junior didn't care about his eyes. He was wondering where the afternoon had gone.

"Come," said Mother. "Put away the book and wash up for supper."

Junior got up slowly and walked to the bookcase. "Where did the afternoon go?" he kept wondering. "It must have gone into the book," he thought, replacing the book on the shelf.

He thought of school, but the smart was gone, and he looked at the shelf with new interest. There were twelve or fifteen books on it.

"Gee," he thought. "What a lot of afternoon!"

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One Between Switzerland And Italy Is Longest For Traffic Purposes

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South African engineers have started the construction of a tunnel which will be 14.7 miles in length.

To prove the railway line between Cape-town and Johannesburg. Work on the first of four tunnels is underway. When they are completed the result will be to shorten out one of the most tortuous sections of the Union. They will also mean saving equivalent to 15 complete circles which trains now have to make on their way up and down the Hex River Mountains.

No estimate is available of the cost of the South African tunnels, but the Connaught tunnel through the Selkirk summit cost approximately \$6½ million to construct. Most of the long tunnels in the world are used in water supply systems. The Simplon tunnel, which connects Switzerland and Italy, is probably the longest used for traffic purposes. It is 12.45 miles in length. The Pennsylvania Railroad tunnel connecting New Jersey and Long Island is 11.7 miles. The Hudson and Manhattan tunnel is 8.5 miles in length.

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WILL THEY LISTEN?

The Christmas season is close upon us. This is the season that levels all classes and throughout the whole world there is a feeling of Peace and Joy.

During the 1400's and 1500's, before the Puritans in England got the upper hand, the golden age of English hospitality reigned. At Christmas time castles and manor houses were filled with guests by the score and hundred.

Kinsmen and neighbors were there and on certain days the tradesmen and tenants, for all were equal at this season of the year.

The light from the roaring flames would shine out through the portals opened at the knock of caroling and wassailing bands, who were usually brought into the great hall to eat, drink and be merry.

Such is the spirit that descends to us.

There is more to Christmas than eat, drink and be merry. It is the time when all men of all nations turn for a time from their pursuits of happiness to follow in the steps of One who sent his angles to earth singing:

"Peace on earth, good will to all men."

This is the true and proper spirit with which we enter the holiday season.

Let us all earnestly hope that this is the spirit which will prevail as men of all nations gather to write the lasting peace.

THE GOVERNMENT LIQUOR CONTROL ACT OF ALBERTA

APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned intends to apply to The Alberta Liquor Control Board for a License to sell Beer by the glass or open bottle, for consumption on the premises, and also to sell Beer by the unopened bottle for consumption elsewhere than upon the licensed premises, in conformity with the provisions of The Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta and the Regulations made thereunder, with respect to the following described premises: Beer saleroom in the northeast corner of the ground floor of the Oliver Hotel Ltd. situated on part of Lot 5, and all of Lot 6, in Block 2, Plan No. 4504-I, Crossfield, Alberta, DATED at Crossfield, Alberta, this 6th day of December, 1946.

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COUNCIL MEETINGS

The regular monthly meeting of the Village Council will be held in the

FIRE HALL
on the
First Monday of each
month
commencing at 8:00 p.m.

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Wednesday, December 11

LUNCH AT NOON

32 CATTLE

3 Milch Cows, milking—1 Shorthorn cross, 5-years-old; 1 Jersey cross, 5-years-old; 1 Shorthorn cross, 4-years-old; all to calve in April.

2 Dry Milch Cows—1 Shorthorn cross, age 6 years to calve in January; 1 Shorthorn age 5 to calve in January.

4 Heifers, Milking to come in 5 months—1 Shorthorn cross, age 3 years; 1 Holstein cross, age 3 years; 2 Shorthorn cross, age 3 years.

5 Shorthorn Cross Heifers age 2 years to calve about February.

2 Shorthorn cross Heifers, age 2 years, to calve about January.

15 Calves, 2 years old, bought at Spring Bull Sale, April 1944.

1 Registered Hereford Bull—Advance Domino 10th—173565

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21 Feeder Pigs, 100 pounds, 1 Yorkshire Sow, second litter in December, 1 Yorkshire Boar, Registered.

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ARCHIE BOYCE

AUCTIONEER
License No. 21-46-61, Phone 146 Olds

R. E. WIDDELL, Clerk



R. W. RYAN
Formerly general manager for western lines of Canadian Pacific Air Lines at Edmonton, has been appointed to the newly-created position of general manager of operations. It was announced by Mr. M. Neal, president of C.P.A.L. Mr. Ryan's headquarters will be at Winnipeg.

DEADLINE NEAR

TO FILE FORMS

Because a few competitors in the Alberta Beer contest have not filed their application forms for judging, the contest committee this week gave final warning that for those holding their barley on their farms for seed, this is the last week. Each contestant has already received an application form for grain judging. Those holding their barley for seed must fill in the bottom part of it.

The last day for mailing it is Saturday, Nov. 30. Mail it to the National Barley Contest Committee at 206 Grain Exchange, Winnipeg.

Contestants shipping a carload lot entry have a little longer to send in their application forms. For them the last day for mailing the forms is Dec. 15.

GREATER PRODUCTIVITY

During the war years Canadian farmers produced about 40 per cent more food, even in the face of a reduction of farm manpower of around 400,000. While favorable weather had considerable to do with the increased production, mechanization of agriculture, improved seed and better farming methods were factors of outstanding importance in the increased production.

The population of Canada is about 12½ million. Canadian farmers could readily feed a population from two to three times that size.

Increased mechanization of farms is the most important factor in increased farm production. The increased use of the rubber-tired tractor and the speeding up of operations through the use of rubber tires on other farm implements, has created a revolution in farming. Today a farmer can handle three times as much land with power machinery as could be handled with the use of horses. If a tractor is put on a 24-hour schedule, which cannot be done with work animals, a farmer can do the job seven times faster than with animal power.

The productivity of Canadian farmers is the greatest in the history of the Dominion, and is likely to increase in the years ahead. As long as farmers are reasonably prosperous they will turn more and more to new and better machines. Laborious work on the farm will gradually be lessened, and there will be a reduced demand for farm labor.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

ROSEBED HEALTH, GARDEN
Beds and Garden Clinics will be held once a month as follows:

Crossfield United Church Parlor—The first Thursday of each month, 2 to 4 p.m. These clinics are free. You are cordially invited to attend.

FOR SALE—Four good milk cows. Freshen within month. Phone R1506, Carslairs. 31D

COUNCIL APPROVES NEW OFFICE AND FIRE HALL

The regular monthly meeting of the village council held on Monday evening was the opening of the new fire hall and village office. Several ratepayers were present and expressed their approval at the outlay. The inspector's report was read and every-

thing was found to be pretty well in order. A letter from the Board of Transport Commission stated that the application from the village for a permanent crossing at the elevators had been refused. Harry Wigle was chosen from amongst the several applicants for the position of caretaker of the curling and skating rinks.

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E1/2 20-28-28-4th 320 Acres
Sec. 21-28-28-4th 640 Acres
W.1/2 28-28-4th 316 Acres
W.1/2 33-28-28-4th 318 Acres

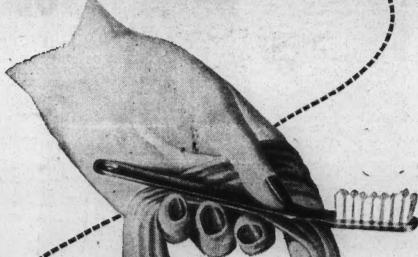
TENDERS should be placed in a sealed envelope and marked "Tender" and a certified check for 5% of offer should accompany same. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted

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